



IN THE UNITED STATE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
Michael REASONER	)	Confirmation No.: 1754
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Application No.: 09/115,764	)	Examiner: Vinh LUONG
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Filed: July 15, 1998	)	Group Art Unit: 3682

For: CONDUIT SHORTENING ADJUSTMENT ASSEMBLY

RESPONSE TO QUAYLE ACTION

**Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office communication of September 14, 2005, the following drawings are respectfully submitted.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are listed on page 2 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

**Amendments to the Claims**, reflected in the Listing of the Claims, begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

**An Appendix**, including Figures 3, 3A and 3B, is attached following page 11 of this paper.